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**For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING DECORATIVE ELEMENTS HAVING A
HOLOGRAPHIC IMAGE THEREON**

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

**List of Sections Forming Part of This
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The following sections are being submitted for this Information Disclosure Statement:

1. ☒ Preliminary Statements
2. ☒ FORM PTO-1449 (Modified)
3. ☒ Identification of Prior Application in Which Listed Information Was Already Cited and for Which No Copies are Submitted or Need Be Submitted
4. ☒ Copies of Listed Information Items Accompanying this Statement
5. ☒ Identification of Person(s) Making this Information Disclosure Statement

Section 1. Preliminary Statements

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Section 2. Form PTO-1449 (Modified)

☒ [X] A completed Form 1449 (Modified) is attached hereto.

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Section 3. Identification of Prior Application in Which Listed Information Was Already Cited and for Which No Copies are Submitted or Need Be Submitted

This application relies, under 35 U.S.C. § 120, on the earlier filing date of prior application **U.S. Serial No. 10/177,522, filed on June 20, 2002.**

Section 4. Copies of Listed Information Items Accompanying this Statement.

Legible copies of all items listed in Form PTO-1449 (Modified) accompany this information disclosure statement.

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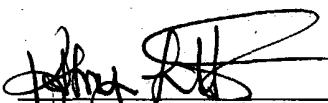
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